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## AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 2, 1999, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 5, line 17, after insert -- are prior art and--.

> insert -- are prior art line 19, after "C" Page 5,

and--.

"5" line 22, after insert -- are prior art Page 5,

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